

Emergency Notification

BE PREPARED TO HANDLE ANY EMERGENCY SITUATION



911



Overview:

Emergency management (i.e. school emergency) encompasses a wide range of priorities. Effective messaging technology from Intermedia plays a critically important role. The capabilities of quick, easy to use, and reliable can dramatically reduce the time required to quickly notify large numbers of people to move them away from danger.

Problem:

Response to emergency events is time critical – communications among response teams and out to the public are imperative. A live broadcast of instructions over a Public Address system can carry the stress and anxiety of the speaker in the message and have a negative impact on the broadcast. Vital information may be missed in the heat of the moment. The outside public is also trying to obtain latest information about loved ones.

Solution:

Intermedia's SBX2 and XMU+ can provide emergency notification information via a trigger activation. In the case of a school emergency, a teacher, staff member or front office can manually initiate an emergency signal by dialing a code from a telephone or cellphone, or pushing a button to activate a pre-recorded calm and clear evacuation announcement - i.e. "There is an intruder at the north end of the school, please immediately evacuate via the south exits".

Often the situation changes rapidly. The SBX2 and XMU+ do not require a third party to create your messaging. You can quickly change the emergency notification message yourself, even from a remote location and rebroadcast in the facility to move more people away from danger. In addition, the Information Line feature can be utilized to provide information to people outside the building who call in to access updated information on the situation and thus reduce panic.

Benefits:

- Immediate activation of emergency notification via multiple trigger options
- Pre-recorded announcements provide calm and clear evacuation instructions
- Pre-recorded instructions can be broadcast in multiple languages
- Ease of use to update the announcement in real time and rebroadcast to adjust to changing conditions
- Information line feature to provide status to people outside the facility and reduce panic
- Reliability to ensure the system will operate when required

Communicating the right message to the right people at the right time is critical in emergencies. Losses are reduced when people at risk take appropriate actions based on the best and latest information available.

Intermedia:

The Intermedia suite of messaging solutions has been employed by a variety of markets for over 35 years. Our proven audio broadcasting capabilities are cost-effective, easy to manage and flexible enough to meet your current and future messaging needs.

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